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CHARLES H. SMITH

Of Denver is Now in Oakland.

WILL TRY AND STRAIGHTEN OUT THE

California and Nevada Railroad Muddle—He Hopes to See Daylight Soon.

Bonds of a Railroad.

Charles H. Smith of Denver has returned to Oakland in order to place some of his interests here in such shape that he can more easily handle them. He arrived in Oakland Monday. Mr. Smith is the executor and manager of the estate of his father, the late J. W. Smith and is most interested in the California and Nevada Railroad running from Oakland into Contra Costa county. In this enterprise Mr. Smith's father invested more than half a million dollars. The road is in a badly tangled condition. Mr. Smith holds the bonds upon which interest has never been paid and the road has been in the hands of a receiver.

There are two suits pending over the road.—One is brought by Mr. Smith to foreclose the bonds. In this suit Mr. Smith makes a number of charges against the members of the California and Nevada Railroad Company. He says that they have illegally issued bonds for which no return was ever given the road, and he is actively fighting F. M. Smith, who was the owner of this stock at one time. It was under this suit that the receiver was appointed.

The second suit is one brought by the Central Trust Company of New York the trustees of the bonds. This suit pretends to be in the interest of Mr. Smith as the principal bondholder but Mr. Smith denounces the suit and says that not only is he not responsible for it, but he is desirous of not having it continued and if it is being brought in his interests he wishes that it would be stopped. In order to prevent this suit from being carried on he has filed an intervention which has sidetracked it until his own suit can be brought to trial.

"I will try to stay long enough to get some of my tangled affairs straightened out said Mr. Smith yesterday. "I have got matters in very good shape and if I can ever get the legality of these bonds settled I will be satisfied. I have in my possession every bond that was ever legally issued by the California and Nevada Railroad Company and I am going to fight the others to the end. Had it not been for the illness of my attorney the case would have been further along than it is now. I hope to see day-light before long and then we can talk about the prospects of the road."

Tax Rolls Delayed.

The first installment of taxes was due yesterday but Tax Collector Barber was unable to accommodate the few who called upon him. The rolls are still in the hands of Auditor Whidden and will be turned over Monday next. The work of correcting and extending the rolls was enormous and the State Board only allowed six extra days in which to complete it. There were originally 70,000 entries on the rolls and the changes made by the local Board entailed the ordinary amount of work. Then the State Board raised the entire assessment 5 per cent and that necessitated a change in every entry. Mr. Whidden has had an extra force of twelve men at work for three weeks and they have been engaged both night and day. Several rolls have been completed, verified and turned over to the Tax Collector but a large amount of work remains undone. This week will see it practically completed.

The Popocrats of West Berkeley have taken one of the McKinley protection posters and cut out the lithograph of McKinley and inserted one of Bryan in its stead. In the scenes depicting trade under the McKinley act and under the present tariff they have instituted Bryan's name over the good times. Bryan has constantly been masquerading in borrowed livery since his nomination so it is not astonishing that the Popocrats are doing the same thing by defacing Republican posters.

LAST OF TRILBY

Now Being Played in the Columbia Theater, San Francisco

The Last of Trilby

The "Trilby is again on, and people were from an early hour at every performance this week, unable to gain admission at the Columbia.

LITTLE BILLEE.

The audiences were as demonstrative in their approbation as they were large. Mr Charles Kent's powerful and indeed masterly portrayal of Svengali is alone worth seeing. Mr. Kent's Svengali is really a fine piece of character.

Miss Edith Crane's "Trilby" is too well-known to require comment at length. It is an exceedingly able and artistic representation. Jennie Reifarth, Herbert Carr, George Trader, E. W. Morrison, Charles Canfield, George Webster, May Arlington, Cecelia Harmon and their associates in the cast, gives as nearly as is possible, an ideal performance of this absorbing, interesting and out-of-the-common play The Company have established themselves as favorites and should crowd the Columbia for the last week which commences on Monday night. This is also the last time "Trilby" will ever be seen in San Francisco. Popular prices 25, 50, and 75 cents and $1.00 will rule.

There will be the usual prayer meetings held in the different churches of Berkeley this evening at the regular hour.

Connie Graham has returned from an extended trip through the Eastern States.

Mrs. C. S. Taylor of Bancroft way has returned from a visit to England, where she has been to settle her father's estate.

Mrs. Pries, of McKee and Calais streets, Lorin, has returned from a four months' trip through Europe.

A large party of ladies and gentlemen enjoyed themselves at Bath Beach last evening and a special bus was run for their accommodation.

The Ladies of Lookout Mountain Woman's Relief Corps, No. 35, G. A. R., will give a social dance in Odd Fellows' Hall, Friday evening, October 9, 1896, for the benefit of the corps' work.

The Popocrats will meet in American Hall on Thursday evening. Thos. Garrity, nominee for Superior Judge, and Henry C. McPike, nominee for State Senator, will deliver addresses.

There was no meeting of the Board of Education last evening owing to the lack of a quorum. Director Engebretson was the only member of the Board present. The meeting will be held this evening.

The first half of the Berkeley Town taxes are now due and payable at the office of John Squires. If not paid before the last Monday in November they will become delinquent and fifteen cents will be added for such cause.

The new crew on the West Berkeley local is as follows: C. H. Edwards, conductor; Frank Taylor, engineer and Mr. Hurd fireman. Mr. Edwards is a brother of the Edwards that was injured in the wreck at Niles Canyon, some time ago.

The Quarterly Meeting of the Associated Charities will be held at Holmes Library, Monday, October 12th, at 8 o'clock. Prof. C. C. Plehn will address the society. The public are invited to attend.

E. P. Bancroft, who conducts an extensive business and social correspondence with parties in Michigan, states that recent advices inform him there is no doubt that the Lake State will give McKinley a rousing majority. For a time, writes Mr. Bancroft's informants, the issue was dubious, but now the Republicans are in high feather.

Mr. Wilmot of the Swan Brewery, near Bushrod Park, formerly head brewer of the San Francisco Stock Brewery, was taken sick at his place of business on Monday and had to be taken to his home in a carriage. He is a man over 60 years of age and is reported to be quite ill.

IT IS SAID.

That This Column is Eagerly

READ BY MANY GAZETTE READERS.

Items of Interests From all Portions of This Growing Town.

It Is Said

That the Schmidt Spear controversy will now go into the courts, where it can be decided, instead of in the newspapers.

That the people of Berkeley would like to have some of the Oakland candidates visit this neck of woods and introduce themselves.

That Thomas F. Garrity will poll a large vote in Berkeley and that Judge Greene will be the man who is scratched.

That if the United States can pass a law, making silver worth $1.29 per ounce throughout the world, why cannot it establish the price of wheat and potatoes at $5 per bushel too. If it can fix the price for one it surely can fix the price for the other.

That the new hydrant placed on the corner of Sacramento street and University avenue appears to be on private property instead of on the corner of the street.

That Charles Roeth will not poll a dozen votes in Berkeley for the office of Supervisor as D. C. Brown is the unanimous choice of our people for Supervisor of the Fourth district.

That possibly some person was nominated for Assemblyman of the Forty ninth district by the late Republican County Convention. If so, he has not been heard of in the West Berkeley end of the district, as no one can be found who has seen either himself or his cards announcing himself as a candidate.

That the new license ordinance may yet cause several arrests for its violation, as the Marshal is not satisfied with the manner in which some of the outside business men are doing business.

Levin Bros, the Oakland grocers, have opened a branch store on Shattuck avenue, below Dwight way.

The many friends of Howard Pereau were sorry to learn that he had been taken off the West Berkeley local.

A very heavy fog prevailed this morning and it was not until after 10 o'clock that it was dissolved by the sun.

Van Laak is adding another building to his broom factory at West Berkeley in order to keep up with his increasing trade.

LOST.—An account book, between Dwight way and West Berkeley, upon which was the name of Warren Holcomb. Finder please leave at this office.

John Cushing, an Oakland grocer, has rented the Mahoney building, corner of Channing way and Shattuck avenue, and will open a branch store therein.

A precinct meeting is being held this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Kastens on Addison st. A large number of suffragists are in attendance.

There are now two trains running on the narrow guage. One runs to the end of the line and carries freight and passengers, and the other is engaged in hauling rock from the quarry a few miles north of Berkeley.

A committee from the different Republican Clubs of Berkeley will meet at the GAZETTE office in East Berkeley tomorrow evening to arrange for a grand Republican mass meeting.

West Berkeley Lodge Sons of Hermann will install officers next Monday night, at which time they will be visited by the members of the Grand Council. The officers to be installed are Past President, Charles Loebs; President, Charles Bengolsky; Vice-President, Frank Glazer; Recording Secretary, William Lauterback; Financial Secretary, Fred Burchard; Treasurer, Hermann Dreuder; Trustee, Fred Myer.

PERALTA FIRE CO.

Held Its Regular Meeting of Last Evening.

Fire Company Meeting.

The Peralta Fire Company held a regular meeting last evening. Further time was given to report on candidates. The bell committee reported that the bell had been ordered and would be on the ground by the time the frame work was ready for placing the bell in. The committee were given full power to perform all necessary work to get it in position.

Under the heading of the good of the order the following named were appointed on a committee to make necessary arrangements for a "high jinks" on the raising: Tisdale, Brothers, Heyneman and Forgie. A handsome photograph of the company was presented to the club by an Oakland photographer.

After the business of the evening was completed the members formed themselves into a stag party and with the music furnished by Messrs. Tait and Tisdale on a banjo and accordeon, enjoyed themselves until the home hour arrived.

More Trouble.

Jacob Happersberger of South Berkeley came to the front again yesterday in a neighbor's quarrel. This time he was using indecent language in the presence of Mrs. Brothers, when Walter Brothers appeared on the scene and told him to desist.

Happersberger seems to have an idea that the Brothers family is always at work trying to do something to injure him and with that idea so strongly impressed upon his mind he cannot help giving vent to his feelings. At this time his hard feelings had not softened by his talk and he kept on. This did not suit Walter and taking matters in his own hands he castigated Happersberger quite seriously.

Oakland Theatre.

Good audiences are attending the Oakland Theater this week. The production of "Osceola," or the Indian Princess, seems to have hit the public taste or the taste of many theatergoers. It is one of those thrilling, partially historical melodramas, wherein the life of the red man of the forest is portrayed in very vivid colors. It is a pretty story of love's devotion and shows in various ways the crosses which are supposed to happen in the life of true love.

There are five acts and are of just enough length to keep the attention of the audience constantly upon the action of the players.

All of those taking part are well up in their business and as a whole one would have to go a long distance to see a play put on the stage to better advantage or a Company that could make any more out of it to please a large audience.

Librarian's Report.

D. R. Moore, librarian, has made the following report for the month of September:

The attendance at the Central room was 4,496; Lorin, 1,295; no report from West Berkeley.

Number of days each reading room was opened, 29; average attendance at the Central room, 155; Lorin, 45; West Berkeley, no report.

Total circulation for the month, 1,564; of this total, fiction 74 per cent and other classes 26 per cent.

Borrowers' cards issued for September, 75; previous to that, 642.

Accessions to the library—By binding magazines, 9 volumes; by purchase, 1 volume.

Ex-Editor Gaven D. High will plead guilty to the charge of libel preferred against him but will submit extenuating circumstances. He is to receive sentence on the second charge of libeling W. J. Dingee. The way of the transgressor is hard in this world—or any other.

Grand Rally.

The Bryan Silver Club have arranged for a meeting Thursday evening of this week, Oct. 8th, to be held at American Hall, opposite Shattuck Block, Berkeley Station. At which time the present political issues will be discussed at length. The financial question will receive special attention. The following speakers will be in attendance: Thos. F. Garrity, Democratic and Populist candidate for Judge of Superior Court. Henry C. McPike, Democratic and Populist candidate for State Senator 27th district. Also Reel B. Terry of Fresno. The club cordially invites the public to attend. Don't forget the date.

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SERVES THEM RIGHT.

Money Lenders in a Very Bad Boat.

THEY LOAN MONEY TO YOUNG FRED ADAMS

And Now That He Is of Age He Repudiates All of His Debts.

Will Get the Glassy Eye.

There is sorrow among the money lenders of Oakland and San Francisco because of the announcement that Fred Stuart Adams, heir to a large estate and member of one of Oakland's aristocratic families, is now a man. Mr. Adams was referred to as a boy until last Saturday. On that day he attained his majority and is now giving the money lenders who have been so kind to him a run for their money. In his effort to save some of the fortune his father left him Fred Adams has given the money-lenders what sporting men call the "double cross."

When James Adams, the father of Fred Adams, died, he left an estate valued at about $200,000. Of this Fred's share was about $40,000. The estate has never been divided and James Adams had the dealing out of the money, making monthly allowances to Fred and his older brother, Selby Adams. But this monthly allowance was not enough for them at the pace set up, and when they needed a few thousand all they had to do was to seek some kind money-lender, secure a loan at exorbitant interest and plaster their respective shares in the estate with liens.

Last Saturday Fred Adams came down from the country where he had been stopping. He was sober, so ex-Judge C. N. Fox says.

"Judge," said the young man to the lawyer, "I have been thinking about the past. I'm a man now for I'm twenty-one years old. Can you tell me whether it is true that I have spent over half my fortune in a year?"

Judge Fox told him that it looked very much that way.

"Well, the end must come some time," continued Fred, the young man, "and as my brother Jim has been pretty kind to me I want to deed everything to him for my own protection. Just draw up the papers."

Judge Fox drew up a deed. Fred signed and it went on record. It conveyed to James Adams all the interest of Fred Adams in his father's estate for a consideration of $10. This was the first document the young man had signed in a legal way, for he was a minor when he made all the other assignments.

Only two weeks ago Fred and his brother Selby were in need of funds. They went to money-lender Samuel Davis and borrowed $2,500. They gave him an assignment that was placed on record in the Probate Court and in this document the assignee is authorized to take any proceedings he may desire for the purpose of realizing or collecting any moneys or property due the boys under their father's will. The assignee was also empowered to pay debts contracted by the boys amounting to $9,600.

It did not take Fred and Selby long to spend $2,500. Now the money-lender wants to know where he comes in under this last deal made by Fred Adams. About the only one to profit by young Adams wild career was Nita Day, who eloped with and was married to him. In order to secure his release from his marriage he had to pay her $5000.

"I am sure I do not know where these money-lenders are going to land," observed Judge Fox. "Fred is a man now, and I guess these money-lenders will have to whistle for their claims. Anyhow, it is a question for the courts to decide."

One whole train crew on the West Berkeley local have been discharged including Conductor Perkau, his engineer, fireman and wiper. The cause of the discharge as near as could be learned was because the engineer was dirrelect in his duty and was not reported by the others, who knowing he had a large family sought to shield him from discharge, and by so doing lost their own situations.

Advertise in the GAZETTE.

WILL CONTINUE.

Prosestor Gailey Will Finish His Lectures at St. Mark's Church.

Professor Gailey Will Finish the Course.

Professor Gailey gave the first lecture of his course upon "The Christianity of St. Paul" last Friday evening at St. Mark's church. There was a large audience which evinced great interest in the lecture and therefore was much disappointed when Prof. Gailey announced that he should be unable owing to his health to give more than one lecture. Prof. Gailey is however unwilling to disappoint his many friends and has kindly consented to go on and finish the course, changing the hour from 6:45 p. m. to 12:30 directly after the Sunday morning service. As it will not exceed three quarters of an hour in length and will commence on time, the lecture will be over by quarter past one.

Free Library Meeting

A regular meeting of the Berkeley Free Library Trustees was held last evening, President Shattuck in the chair. All members of the Board were present. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The Finance Committee reported on the following bills for which warrants were ordered to be drawn:

Mysell, Rollins & Co	$ 5 85
William Doxie	2 50
Rosa M. Shattuck	25 00
John M. Foy	15 00
R. W. Baker	12 50
Berkeley Electric Lighting Co.	15 00
William Stilwell	25 00
D. R. Moore	75 00
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E. P. Bancroft	1 25
GAZETTE	4 50

Jacob Schreiber offered to donate all the municipal reports of the city of San Francisco, in bound form, for the past 30 years. The Library Trustees, on motion, accepted the donation and instructed the Librarian to return their thanks for the same.

The Trustees also accepted donations of books from Maud Weck and James Breen and ordered a note of thanks for them.

Vallejo

We were very much pleased, on a recent visit to Vallejo, to see how much that place has improved of late. Many new residences of pretty and somewhat costly designs have been erected and others are in progress. Business men report trade pretty good, but somewhat interfered with on account of cheap transportation between Vallejo and San Francisco.

There is a great deal of the busy hum floating on the air. At present the government gives employment to between 1100 and 1200 men and in consequence a large sum of money is disbursed every month. While some of it gets lost in the outside world, the large proportion filters through Vallejo channels, allowing the proper quantity to stick on the way.

The local papers keep the residents in a progressive condition all the time and in consequence there is an advance movement all along the line. The recently built High School building is a credit to the town and the people are rightly proud of it.

While the town stands next to Berkeley as far as health is concerned and is its equal in various ways, we do not feel the least bit envious and shall always be glad to chronicle anything to its benefit.

A precinct meeting was held yesterday afternoon in the residence of Mrs. Comstock on Fairview Street at Lorin. Mesdames Carlisle and Goodcell made the addresses. Interest is growing steadily in that section of the town and the ladies propose to do efficient work there between now and election day.

In Precinct No 11 a meeting will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. H. J. Lee 2345 College Avenue. It is expected that Mrs. Hester Harlan and Col. Dickenson will address the meeting. As election day approaches the interest in these meeting is increasing so fast that it is proposed to consolidate so that a larger number can receive the benefit at one gathering.

The Sutro Baths have had an immence patronage during the hot wave. Everything has been done to make them attractive. The management has adopted club rates so that parties joining together can get the advantage of low prices.

CAN CHARGE FARE.

The Supreme Court Decides in Favor of

THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC CHARGING FARES IN OAKLAND.

The Decision of the Lower Court Sustained in Every Particular.

In Favor of Car Gates.

The Southern Pacific Railroad Company does not have to carry passengers free of charge through the city of Oakland. The Superior Court of the county of Alameda so decided some time ago, and yesterday the Supreme tribunal of the State upheld the decision of the lower court.

The final decision on this question was being eagerly awaited by the people of Oakland, the case being one in which nearly the whole populace of that city was interested.

Under an act of the Legislature of 1861 the Southern Pacific Company was granted a franchise to operate a line of steam railroad on Seventh street, Oakland. That act contained this proviso: "Nor shall any railroad company who may avail themselves of the provisions of this section ever use their road for street railroad purposes, or for the purpose of carrying passengers for a consideration from one point to another in the same city." The company for more than twenty years operated the line of road in Seventh street, charging no fare to persons riding within the city limits. People piled into the long train at every station, and were transported without cost. Boys with plenty of time put in whole days, riding back and forth for amusement.

The railroad decided in August 1892, that it could not afford to longer carry the Oakland public free, and it placed side gates on the cars and began collecting 5-cent fares for rides between all points in Oakland. The people objected vigorously, and in October of last year, E. G. Buswell, representing the public in general, filed through his attorneys, what is technically known as a Bill of Peace, to determine whether or not the company had the right to collect fare.

The court holds that if the Legislature had any intention to prohibit the railroad company from charging a fare it would have said so in more exact words. Says the court: "To forbid the defendant company from carrying passengers from one point to another in the city of Oakland for a consideration is not the equivalent of a declaration that the company must carry all passengers between those points without consideration."

Under this last remark of the court it would appear as if the railroad company, while not compelled to carry passengers at all between points in Oakland, could not legally collect fare inside the city limits.

An interesting meeting of the Berkeley Floral Society was held last evening in Stiles hall. Prof. E. F. Wickson gave an address on "Our debt to sub-tropical gardening."

Sara T. Ingalls, of Berkeley, filed a petition in insolvency today. She owes many small debts in Oakland and San Jose. The largest creditors are Mary A. Newhall, $6,000 and Myra J. Marshall, $3,500.

Thos. Pritchard, a driver for Fred Becker of Oakland, was arrested yesterday for soliciting without a license, and taken before Justice Lord. The plea was guilty and Pritchard was ordered to appear in Court on Thursday for sentence.

Whether against slavery or repudiation, fiat money or free trade, the Republican party has stood firm and immovable for right and country, for freedom and free home, for the public credit, a sound currency, and for the maintenance of our industrial independence and the dignity and elevation of American labor.—William McKinley.

The latest dispatch from Ukiah states that the body of W. H. Parkhurst will arrive in Berkeley this evening. The cause of his death was inflammation of the bowels. The funeral services will take place in St. Mark's Church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend.

KEEP THEM CLEAN.

The Gutters in Front of Your Premises.

Clean Your Gutters.

There is a good chance for having rain before the month is over and our property owners cannot begin too soon to have the gutter-ways cleaned out that the water, when it does come, may have no obstructions to hinder its passing off as quickly as possible. Sometimes rain falls in California in a mild manner and sometimes it comes down in almost a solid stream. It is the latter kind which causes so much trouble if its reception is not properly provided for.

Obstructions are apt to cause overflows in the main channels and their damage to a greater or less extent follows. The original waterways of the town are being gradually closed up and new ones to take their places are not being built fast enough. If the gutters are well cleaned, however, there will be sufficient water pass along so that what is left cannot do a great deal of damage. It is the early prosecution that prevents a t.r labor.

Silver Not Mailed.

Some of the unfortunates who are brought into the Justice Courts on orders of examination present queer phases in the life of the debtor class. Such a case was that of Mrs. E. T. Barrett who was before Judge Clift a few days ago to tell why she had not paid a judgement of $113, secured against her by John Stewart, assignee of George Bates, the erstwhile proprietor of the Berkeley Gymnasium.

As will be remembered, Mr. Bates failed some time ago and about all the creditors got was a choice lot of accounts that Mr. Bates had been unable to collect. One of these bills was against Mrs. Barret, who, up to a few months ago, was a widow. She had a young son whom she place under Mr. Bates' training. When the school was closed, she was indebted to Bates in the sum of $113 and this claim fell, with the others, into the hands of Stewart. He secured judgement against her and then set about trying to get his money.

Though she has always been accredited with having money and being in easy circumstances yet Mrs. Barrett swore when in Judge Clift's court that she had no money other than a $5 gold piece and a few pieces of silver.

At Mr. Stewart's reguest she turned the gold piece over to the Court and offered to do the same with the silver, but Mr. Stewart became generous and refused to accept it. He asked the Court to have the case continued until next Saturday. His request was granted.

Father McDonald's Lecture.

Rev. Father McDonald will lecture in Berkeley tonight at St. Joseph's hall under the auspices of the Catholic Relief Society. Subject; "The Church and the Masses."

Mrs. J. McVikoff has gone to Sacramento.

Bishop Johnson of Los Angeles, who has been the guest of Professor Gailey, will take his derarture for home tomorrow.

That W. H. Bone is opposed to the improvenients at the race, track because there will be pool selling on the grounds.

Alfred William Hawkins of Berkeley, 27 years and Juliet Agatha Cunningham of Oakland, 21 years, have taken out a marriage license.

Rev. G. B. Hatch, Rev. Clarke Robbins and J. K. Harrison, left yesterday for Sacramento to attend the Congregational Conference to be held in that city.

That Niehaus Brothers, the West Berkeley planing mill men shipped today to a port in Central America, a very large order of window frames, doors, shutters etc.

That there seems to be a desire on the part of the volunteer firemen of Berkeley to have perfect harmony in the department, and that they will all work to that end.

That the West Berkeley Bryan Club has got new quarters on University avenue between Fourth and Fifth streets where they are maintaining a reading room which is filled with Bryan literature and that it is open to all parties.

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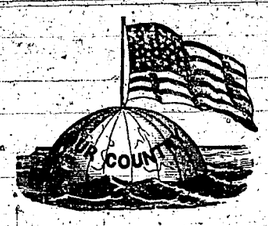

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$10 Reward.

The above reward will be paid upon the arrest and conviction of any person stealing the GAZETTE from the doors or yards of subscribers.

PRETTY STRONG, BUT TRUE.

The San Francisco Call in an editorial on Sunday last, lays bare the life of William Hearst since he has been in journalism. It points out how with his wealth, social position and education he could have been the owner and editor of one of the leading newspapers in the world. A paper that it would have been a pleasure to read and to quote; a paper that would mould public opinion, and carry the people with it.

On the contrary says the Call, "Mr. Hearst chooses to wallow with increasing frequency and desire in the filthiest pools which the boys and fens of modern journalism afford. He endeavored to build up the power and influence of his paper by methods which would have disgraced the most unconscionable fraud and faker who haunts the entrance to a country fair. He has been utterly regardless of the yesterdays and tomorrows of a newspaper and has counted the friendships, the duties and the principles of either as nothing compared with the sensations of today. * * * *

He has shown his hypocresy by the ridicule of every aspiration and effort for the betterment of society; by daring endeavors at the levy of blackmail upon public officials, and by successful and self-confessed extortion practiced upon private corporations, it has made itself feared as well as hated by every lover of truth, honesty and decency in the land."

The above arraignment of Mr. Hearst by the Call is very severe, but nine tenths of the people of this State will endorse it as true. Its attempts to influence jurymen in damage suits against the Railroad Company are samples of the way the Examiner columns are used, and this because the Southern Pacific Railroad Company refused to be blackmailed by Mr. Hearst.

The people are aware of this fact, and in consequence they liken all of its other attacks upon men and measures to the same cause, and for that reason the Examiner is powerless today to assert any man or party. Its publication of figures on the Presidential campaign have no weight with the people. They only laugh at it. It has got to be the common thing to hear people say "you can't believe anything you read in the Examiner." Of course the paper will continue to run just as long as Mr. Hearst has his millions to back him, but it will never be anything more than a scandal monger. It will never have any influence, nor be considered a newspaper in the proper sense.

WE FEEL FOR THEM.

Our esteemed contemporary the Advocate, in its Saturday night's issue complains that the GAZETTE does not give its editorial staff the credit of having any brains, because it attributes any article that is above the common to Thos. F. Graber. We are sorry for the editorial staff of the Advocate, and would probably apologize if we knew who composed the editorial staff of the Advocate. We know that there is a name at the head of the column after which is the word editor but we have never heard that person accused of having brains. The rest of the staff we do not know or never heard of, so when we see an editorial in the columns of the paper, we at once look for earmarks, to find out who wrote it and we don't think we have ever yet been mistaken in picking out the writer.

In last evening's issue of the Advocate appeared the card of William Schmidt that was published in the GAZETTE on Saturday last, preceded by the following:

"Saturday morning W. J. Schmidt called at the Advocate office and requested the publication of a note from C. H. Spear to himself for $100, with the remark, that as he had clothed Mr. Spear and paid for his family's bread for a year, he thought the people of Berkeley should know it.

"The article was refused, even though we were informed that it would appear in the GAZETTE, because of a settled conviction that such personalities are not legitimate news. The affair has gained so great prominence through the encounter of the two men on Broadway, later in the day, when in reply to a question from Mr. Spear, Mr. Schmidt denied that he was going to publish anything that day, and the former stepped up and knocked the lighted cigar from the latter's mouth, that it now belongs to the public."

If that article was not fit to publish on Saturday it was not fit to publish on Tuesday, or any other day. The simple fact that Mr. Spear knocked a lighted cigar from Mr. Schmidt's mouth did not necessarily call for a publication of Mr. Schmidt's card, as the encounter between Schmidt and Spear took place before the article was printed, and might have been caused by something else entirely.

The truth of the matter is that the Advocate was afraid to publish the card of Mr. Schmidt even as an advertisement, but when it found that the GAZETTE had published it, then the brains of the Advocate, after three days elapsed, republished it, the same as it does all of the news that is published in the GAZETTE. Brains are very badly needed on our evening contemporary as it is getting hopelessly in the soup with the present array of brains that direct its editorial and news columns.

FOR SUPERVISOR.

There is but one candidate for Supervisor in the Fourth district and that is D. C. Brown. He went before no convention to receive a nomination but went to the people of his district who not only signed his petition but assured him of their determination to vote for him. The People's party vote and the Democratic vote cut but very little figure, yet were Mr. Brown out of the fight, Mr. Roeth the Republican nominee of the Convention would be hopelessly snowed under. He is not the man that the people of this district want and as there is a great question as to the legality of his nomination the people of the district will not vote for him. In the Berkeley end of his district his vote will be so small that he will have four years time in which to hunt for it. Our people are almost unit in favor of D. C. Brown, because they know him to be a worthy man. He has before filled the office to there perfect satisfaction, and during that time he proved himself to be a man for the people, as he carefully guarded their every interest.

He is a business man, having been at his present stand for the past twenty years. He is identified with everything that is for the benefit and progress of the town and county. He is a member of the Merchants' Exchange, the Associated charities and other societies that tend to benefit his fellow man. He is a man who is without enemies even though he has held public office before.

His friends in Berkeley and all over the district are legion and they will take off their coats and see that he is elected as the next Supervisor. He has no opponent worthy of mention, for the combined votes of Mr. Roeth and the people's Party candidate can not defeat him. It is simply a question now of how large a plurality Mr. Brown will get and we hope that every voter in the Fourth district will assist in making that plurality just as large as is the man, and then we know that it will be immense.

HOWARD E. WRIGHT.

We feel that we cannot allow an opportunity to pass in bringing Howard E. Wright, the Republican candidate for the Assembly in the Fifty-first district, before the voters, so that they may know that under no circumstances should he be defeated. It is just such young men as Mr. Wright that are needed in our Legislature and especially at this time. He is a resident and property owner of Berkeley and is thoroughly posted in the wants of this county and this State and especially of the University. His acquaintance throughout the State is very large and is among the best people, hence, his influence in the Legislature will be very great. He is a man of pleasant disposition, and one who makes friends of all classes. He can be approached by the humblest citizen as easily as by the wealthiest and will give just as much attention and time to the one as to the other. He is the man that we most desire to assist, Fred Stratton in the Senate. He will be true to all of our interests and his vote will be for the Hon. George C. Perkins for United States Senator, while if his apponent is elected he will vote for T. V. Cator, a man who is known to be unscrupulous and unworthy. This is a consideration, alone, that should cause every voter who lives in the Berkeley portion of the Fifty-first Assembly district to vote for Howard E. Wright for Assemblyman.

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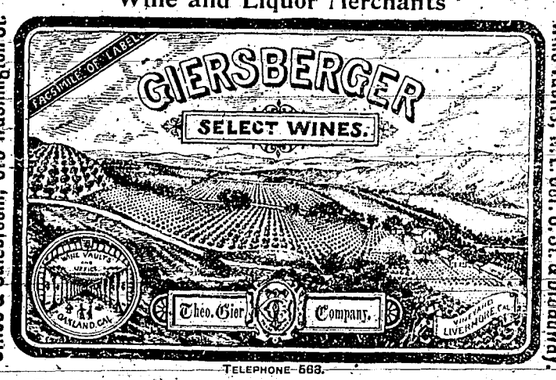

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Already science has made neighbors of erstwhile far sundered places. Already the feat of girding the earth in 40 minutes, once accepted as magical power, has been left hopelessly behind by a new and scientific Puck. Already privacy has become well nigh impossible, even that of one's bodily interior being no longer guaranteed. Already science has so far conquered the enemies of life that the living are jostling each other for elbow room, and already the nations sleep—if they ever sleep—with their fingers on the trigger of the latest magazine rifle. If this be the case in the green tree, what may we expect in the dry? If infant science, only 75 years old, has brought this about, what will science in a state of manhood do for us? Another question intrudes itself here: Is the transformation, so far as it has gone, a gain? Are we the better or the happier for the achievements of applied science, or did men, before the new creator was born, live a more human—shall we say a more divine—life than is possible now? M. Berthelot has no reply to such queries. He is the embodiment of the spirit which wrests from nature ever new powers and turns them loose upon mankind to fulfill their destiny. It is not for the man of science to discriminate, for, how does he know what goes to make a new earth? He also must fulfill his destiny.

Sometimes we read that the age of romance has passed, but ask the international congress of applied chemistry and you will probably hear that it is only just beginning; that the most fantastic dreams of our most imaginative men are to what will be as humble prose is to highest poetry. Who can doubt it? Who can forbear sometimes from attempting a conception of the "new earth?" And how little way can he whose imagination is most compact advance without a stagger and a fall? It is no wonder that science lifts her head and surveys the future with pride.

M. Berthelot promises a new man as well as a new earth. Given the second, the first is a necessity, for the old Adam in a reconstituted Eden would soon fall from grace again, unaided by the serpent, in whom, by the way, he no longer believes. Once more imagination runs riot. This new man—what is he to be? The new woman we know well enough to make description superfluous. The real question is whether we are to argue from this feminine to the as yet undetermined masculine. Let us hope not, for otherwise the lookout is extremely bad. It may be, however, that the new man of applied science will exemplify the mysterious law regulating forces which neither increase nor diminish, but swing backward and forward like the pendulum of the tides. As the woman becomes more and more mannish—of course, without being manly—will the new man become more and more womanish? We should like M. Berthelot to consider that point in the light of science, which is now, apparently, our only guide. Much depends on the solution of the problem, and it is a very serious consideration that nothing in the past can help us to it. M. Berthelot is reported as saying that "the entire social organization is being transformed amid conditions for the comprehension of which the past offers no suggestive precedents or data."

As Mr. Gilbert observes in a state of embarrassment, "Here's a pretty how d'ye do!" We are at sea as to the new man, without rudder or compass, and it is a mere toss up whether he may not turn out to be simply an old woman. Our personal concern, truly, is very small. The man of the present will last our time, and, with all his faults, he is good enough for us, especially as we know nothing better. But we are taught to identify ourselves with the race, and, doing so, the question as to man 500 years hence is one not only of uncertainty, but of painful interest. We shall not be able to repudiate him, but, on the other hand, he may disclaim us, just as many people nowadays scornfully reject the theory of man's descent from the ape. The subject is thus seen to be one of a very disquieting nature, and the sooner the international congress of applied chemistry or other learned body throws further light upon it the better. Surely science can give some inkling of what its own Adam is likely to be. We do not ask for particulars of his Eden, because we know that a railway will run through it, and that suffices, but curiosity as to the recreated gardener are inevitable. "A good man and no angel," exclaimed the late estimable Dr. Young, "these between. How thin the barrier!" We will hope for the angel, though science may not recognize such a creature.—London Telegraph.

To Renew Old Pens.

When a pen has been used until it appears to be spoiled, place it over a flame, a gaslight, for instance, for a quarter of a minute, then dip it into water, and it will be again fit for use. A new pen which is found too hard to write with will become softer by being thus heated.

That Settled It.

Peterson—Do you suppose that young Pipps has serious intentions?

Mrs. Peterson—Undoubtedly. I heard him ask Laura last night whether you were a partner in the firm or if you merely worked on a salary.—Cleveland Leader.

When bad weather is imminent, swallows fly low, because at such times the insects which constitute their food keep near the ground, and the swallows are forced to follow them on to lower regions than at other seasons.

PROFANE SOLDIERS.

THERE WAS VERY LITTLE SWEARING IN THE ARMY OF THE UNION.

An Old Soldier Takes Issue With the Author of "The Red Badge of Courage"—Camp Followers and Hangers On Furnished the Profanity of the War.

When the recruits of the First Maine cavalry began to take on "soldier airs" in their camp on the Penobscot, in 1861, some of them assuming that troopers should be men "full of strange oaths," Colonel Douty promulgated an antiprofanity order. At first the edict was received with considerable merriment, and expletives, innocent in themselves though meant to do duty as oaths, were freely used. But in a few days, inspired by the precepts and examples of certain selfrespecting comrades, the men took a nobler view of it and the "needless vice," as the historian of the regiment characterizes it, was effectually proscribed.

The First Maine served four years and earned a reputation for valor in the field second to no other mounted command. It brought home a flag upon which were inscribed by official authority the names of 36 battles. But the veterans were not more proud of their martial honors than of their good morals, for they had won the honors and the victory, to crown them, swearing "not at all," that, too, with a regimental temperance pledge held in almost universal respect.

The general over a division of 10,000 men who nipped the profaning evil in the bud by saying, "I will do the swearing for this entire command," was more tactful in his methods than the Maine cavalry colonel, as he needed to be, dealing with strange troops, but he was not a jester, neither a victim of overconfidence in himself. If military necessity warranted violation of the law he would be the judge. Under a leader so clever and farsighted the crisis would never arise. Only once during a long service at the front—service rendered in two different regiments, different brigades, divisions and army corps—did I hear an officer above the rank of captain give way to profanity. That once was the case of a brigade commander invoking the curse of Deity upon a rascally quartermaster. The quartermaster resigned on the spot and went home, thus removing what might have been a stumbling block from the path of many besides the general.

I should say that the rascally quartermaster and his close concomitants, the stubborn army mule and the obstreperous teamster, furnished the chief provocatives to swearing for soldiers of the line and that in the precinct set apart to their use—region remote from battle and virtually outside of the domain of army discipline—oaths were quite as common as they are in the pages of the "Red Badge of Courage." In fact, the manners as well as the language of the soldiers in that narrative suggest that the studies for it were made from camp followers and the hangers on of the supply departments, manned, as these were, by noncombatants. Into that safe asylum drifts, according to a well known law, the slum element of an army in the field.

My ears still retain echoes of volleys of oaths from the lips of two men of that class whom I encountered on the peninsula in 1862. Both were enlisted soldiers and wore the blue. One of the offenders acted as keeper of the brigade commissary stores. With him the swearing habit was an infirmity, causing his associates to overlook it through pity. The other was a teamster, who had followed the sea until long past middle life. Swearing in his case was a childish way of showing bravado. It is needless to add that he was a hopeless coward, and for that reason had been detailed to stable duty.

By referring to the roster of the company in which I served in 1862-3 I now recall the individuality of 83 comrades, and of that number recognize 55 who did not use profane language on any occasion. Of the remaining 28 only 11 can be indicted as possibly given to profanity at times, and that solely on the ground of their general reputation for lightness of morals. On the expiration of our term of enlistment, in 1863, two sergeants of the company recruited a command for the veteran cavalry service. They had the pick of 500 applicants recently mustered out from the two years' regiments and chose their men strictly with regard to their previous records as gallant soldiers. When the men came together in camp, it appeared that there was not one among the 100 veterans so selected who used profane or vulgar language.

A moment's reflection must convince every intelligent person that violent language is subversive of all true discipline, and a successful army without discipline is an impossibility in this age. The article of war proscribing profanity, promulgated, as it was, to every new command and read on parade annually at least, was a protection for the soldier and a moral weapon for the officer. The soldier could insist upon its observance by his superiors. On the other hand, he weakened his own cause whenever he violated the law himself. At first blush the article seemed to many obsolete and ridiculous and was generally received as a relic of Puritan days. But the more onerous and exacting a rule the more it is studied and analyzed. Men of fixed habits obeyed readily, setting a good example. In the end wilder spirits found that obedience was easier than resistance. Thus at the very outset the law of God was impressed upon the understanding of all who hadn't it written in their hearts.—George L. Kilmer in Independent.

How Islands Grow.

Fifty-two islands have appeared by aid of volcanic action during the present century, and 19 have disappeared—have been submerged. This makes a net gain to the earth of 33 islands.—Popular Science Monthly.

Phrygian Cap and the Knout.

The French republic, thanks to the alliance between the Phrygian cap and the knout, has done its best to make its soil insecure for those who fled from the tyranny of czardom. Among Russian exiles living at Zurich, Geneva, and Lausanne cases have latterly been introduced, even in the house of alleged lady students of the same nationality. In England alone proscribed Russians are free, and in England, partly in consequence of their contact with the quiet operation of parliamentary institutions, partly on account of a change of feeling among the cultured classes of their own country, men like Stepniak, the author of "Underground Russia" and kindred works, who once had a hand in the fierce active fight against autocracy by all available means of irregular warfare, have gradually ceased to be connected with the organization of so called terroristic attempts. Their London monthly organ, Free Russia, shows how much they have moderated their demands.

If the young emperor would only consent to the introduction of some kind of representative assembly, such as all European nations have and as even the sultan had adopted shortly before Turkey was beaten down by the armies of Alexander II, the reigning czar would rally around him many who are at present his adversaries in what is believed to be the camp of the most extreme party.—North American Review.

Had Been Very Moderate.

"I should fine you for contempt," said the judge as he glared at the lawyer who had aroused his ire.

"With all due respect to your honor," responded the attorney, "I think that you should not. I have been particularly careful not to express my true feelings toward the court."—Detroit Free Press.

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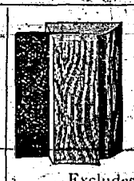

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Doneat room 52 Blake Block, corner 12th and Washington Sts., Oakland. Embroidery lessons 25 cents an hour. Stamping, fine sewing and dress-making. Come and inspect samples of our beautiful embroidery.

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THE CHILDREN'S TABLE.

Useful Suggestions For the Hygienic Diet of Children.

A few hints as to what not to give to young children may be helpful to mothers, for children are creatures of habit from earliest infancy, and if they have formed habits of caring for cake and sweets and refusing other food whose fault is it? How many mothers give a child a slice of bread not only thickly buttered but covered with a layer of sugar or jam besides? Was not the bread good enough with either alone? Such mothers when remonstrated with answer, "Why, my child would not eat bread and jam unless it were buttered also." That habit was formed in the child by the mother. Even young children are very shrewd in dealing with their elders and will soon discover their weak points. Perhaps when there are callers the mother, to avoid a scene, gives a piece of cake, and this is adroitly made use of to secure a like favor at a subsequent time.

Young mothers, do not allow your own ease and comfort at the moment to cause your child to form a pernicious habit, be it the candy habit or the cake habit. Consistent firmness will spare you a world of trouble and annoyance. Of course a piece of light spongecake will not hurt a well child, but let it be given as a rare treat. Never give any kind of pastry. You and your child will be happier for it. Neither are rich puddings and pudding sauces allowable.

Tea and coffee should not be given under the age of 21. Old vegetables or hearty fruits, such as bananas, should not be given to children under 6.

A helpful book for mothers is "How to Feed Children," by Louise Hogan. The following extracts may well be copied in large letters and hung in the kitchen or pantry wherever children's food is prepared.

"The amount of nutrition required in every instance must be carefully considered. One of the most important reasons for this is that energy must not be wasted in getting rid of superfluous material, as organic disease may result. A little food thoroughly digested is far better than much that is half digested. Many of the diseases to which children are liable would disappear under strict supervision of hygiene and diet, especially the various intestinal disorders, including many resultant throat, catarrhal and nervous troubles. Nature resents carelessness and is relentless in her punishments."

"A legal enactment in France prohibits the giving of any form of solid food to infants under 1 year of age without authority of a prescription from a qualified medical man. The employment of the rubber tube for nursing bottles is also forbidden, as it is almost impossible to keep it clean."

"'Left-overs' are decidedly not to be used in the nursery, if for no other reason than in many houses cooked and uncooked foods of various kinds are kept in uncovered dishes from day to day in one common refrigerator or closet, absorbing unwholesome germs from surroundings that, to say the least, are not sanitary."—American Kitchen Magazine.

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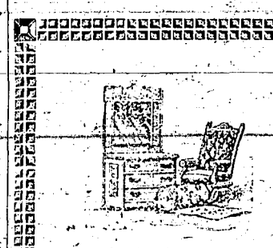

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WANTED—A child to board; a mother's care and a good home; terms reasonable. Apply at West Berkeley, corner San Pablo avenue and Bancroft way. Oct 1 m1

WANTED—A dark colored horse, about 1100 pounds, for its keep during winter. Apply 2024 Durant avenue. Oct 3 m1

WANTED—SOLICITORS FOR CAMPAIGN book. "Bryan, Sewall and Free Silver," authorized by Bryan, written by R. L. Metcalf, Editor Omaha World-Herald, appointed author by Bryan. Contains speeches and platform. A bonanza for agents, a free silver mine for workers. Only $1.50. The only authorized book. 50 cent. Credit Given. Freight paid. Outfit free. Begin now with choice of territory. Permanent, profitable work for '96. Address, The National Book Concern, Star Building, Chicago. Aug1 d27

For Sale or To Let.

FOR RENT—Pretty cottage of four room and sink room with water plug power. Rent $9. Apply on the premises, 1051 Grant street. Sept 21 tf

FOR SALE—At a bargain, a 4-horse power engine and boiler, windmill, tank and pump, all in first class order and as good as new. Apply to S. Heywood, 1629 Grove street, or at the Gazette office. Sept 4 m1

FOR SALE—A chicken ranch at West Berkeley. Apply at O'Brien & Co., University avenue, near Fifth street. Sept 9 13

TO LET—A three-room lower flat, nicely furnished and located in a first class neighborhood. Enquire East Berkeley GAZETTE office. Oct 1 m1

For Sale:

HORSE, piano-box buggy and harness for sale. All in good order. Call at Mrs. Chas. Campbell's Golden Gate avenue, near Walnut street. Sept. 9 m1

A Genuine Bargain

The N. E. corner of Hilgard Avenue and Arch street, we are offering for a short time only at the low figure of $1250, size 83 1-2x100, with street work done on Hilgard.

This figure is bottom rock. No offers lower than this will be considered. We are agents for the beautiful Scenic Park tract in which his lot is situated. O. G. May & Co., 2123 Center street, Berkeley

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Lost.

LOST—A small male pug dog, black face and curly tail. Suitable reward given to any one returning the pug to 2018 Union street, East Berkeley, near U. C. Gymnasium. A. J. Davis Sept 29 w1

LOST—Small single barrel pistol. Finder please leave at GAZETTE office, East Berkeley, and get reward.

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Mrs. I. O. Williamson late of San Francisco, has opened dress making parlors at her residence 2314, Seventh street, near Bancroft way, where she will be pleased to receive her customers. Berkeley prices. Ap 15 m6

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With the use of this window, there is no excuse for not having clean windows in your home. No danger of breaking your neck or back as both sides of the glass can be cleaned within the room, this doing away with the dangerous method now in use. The screen and fly-bar prevents the entrance of flies while cleaning. All orders addressed to William Dean of West Berkeley will be promptly attended to. July 8 tf

For Good Work

Go to Konrad Gobel Jr., carriage trimmer and harness maker. Buggy tops, wagon covers and cushions of all kinds made to order at city prices. Repairing a specialty. Call and see him at 2455 Shattuck avenue, near Dwight way. July31 m1

Something New.

Mrs. Teemen has opened a branch bakery, confectionery and notion store at the corner of Eighth street and University avenue. Four large loaves of bread for 10 cents, and other things in proportion. She also keeps a Coffee Parlor and lunch room in connection with the store, which is the only place in West Berkeley where a lunch can be obtained at all hours. Give her a call. 47.3m

Oakland Umbrella Factory.

Winter is now coming on and you will need a good serviceable umbrella. The place to get a good one at small cost, is at L. F. and Wm. P. Courtney's factory at 378 Twelfth street, Oakland. They make and repair umbrellas cheaper than they can be had elsewhere. They are also agents for White's Sewing Machines. Call and see them and you will be suited. Sept 25 m1

Mrs. A. A. Cameron

Practical dressmaker is located at 129 San Pablo avenue, Oakland, parlors 32 and 33. Makes a specialty of cutting and fitting. Measures taken at your residence, satisfaction guaranteed in all cases. Remember 129 San Pablo avenue. Suits $3.50, capes $1.50 Aug 31 m1

Save the Soles

George Schwab, a practical boot and shoemaker formerly of San Francisco, has opened a shoe and repair shop at 2111 Shattuck avenue. He keeps only the best, and guarantees his work which is done at the most reasonable prices. Sept. 22 m1

Piano, Singing, French.

A lady from London and Paris will assist Berkeley two days a week. One lesson a week, $3 per month, two lesson per week $5 per month. The latest fashionable society writing taught. Call or address rooms 13 and 14, No. 1002 Polk street, San Francisco. Sept. 5 m1

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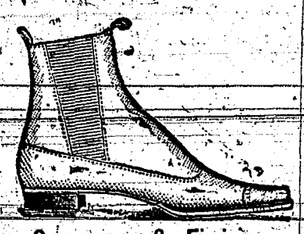

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Election November 3, 1896.

S. A. PENWELL
Regular Republican Nominee for
Justice of the the Peace
of the Town of Berkeley.

C. R. LORD
Regular Republican Nominee for
Justice of the Peace
of the Town of Berkeley.

W. H. H. GENTRY.
Regular Peoples Party and Democratic Nominee for
Justice of the Peace
of the Town of Berkeley.

D. C. BROWN
Hereby announces himself as an Independent Republican Candidate
Supervisor of the Fourth District
Election November 3d, 1896.

HOWARD E. WRIGHT
Regular Republican Nominee for
Assemblyman
51st Assembly District.

LOUIS N. HAGER
Independent Candidate for
Supervisor
Fifth District.

Notice of Dissolution of Copartnership
Public notice is hereby given that the firm of Young & Decourtey is dissolved, George L. Decourtey having purchased the interest of Thomas Young.
GEORGE L. DECOURTEY.
Oct 2 m1. THOS. YOUNG.

A rumor is current that the appointment of O. M. Vincent to the postmastership of Berkeley is likely to occur any day.

Thos. Richardson of Calais street, about 13 years of age was arrested today by Officer Esmond upon the charge of stealing money from his mother. He was placed in the East Berkeley lock-up for the purpose of giving him a chance to meditate. It is feared that the boy has got some distance on the wrong road.

LINES TO A BLOTTING PAD.

Thou kindly porous plaster for the ills
Occasioned by the ink a poet spills,
Absorb unto thyself his many faults
And sponge his verse where rhyme or rhythm halts!
Yet lest perchance thy too retentive touch
Appropriate in passing overmuch,
Pray leave a trace of what he would imply
Were thought but free and ink allowed to dry.
In former times they sprinkled out the sand
To sweep it off and let the writing stand.
While nowadays a line is hardly writ
Ere we regret and seek to alter it
And spend in emendation so much pains
That scarce an inkling of the truth remains.
So for the nonce let my poor pen run free
And keep a record of what might be
Grant it expression for a final line,
And all that went before is gladly thine.
Then will this postscript yet suffice to show,
"I'll love sweet Alice long as ink shall flow."
—W. D. Ellwanger in Bookman.

PRECEDENCE IN ENGLAND.

The Red Tape That Rules the Position of Women at Table.

To Americans, the great question of precedence at formal English dinners presents a humorous aspect, but to our transatlantic cousins it is deeply serious. Many an English girl thinks it worth while to be miserable all her life if she may lead the way to the festal board. Here is the table of rank in its proper order, which she must have engraved upon the fleshy tablets of her heart, complicated, moreover, with exact knowledge as to which of two baronets or earls is of the earlier "creation." It is recommended to the devout study of future American countesses or duchesses:

The queen.
Daughters of the queen.
Wives of the queen's sons.
Wives of the queen's brothers.
Wives of the queen's uncles.
Wives of the eldest sons of dukes of the royal blood.
Daughters of dukes of the royal blood.
Wives of the king's or queen's nephews.
Duchesses.
Marchionesses.
Wives of the eldest sons of dukes.
Daughters of dukes.
Countesses.
Wives of the eldest sons of marquises.
Daughters of marquises.
Wives of the younger sons of dukes.
Viscountesses.
Wives of the eldest sons of earls.
Daughters of earls.
Wives of the younger sons of marquises.
Baronesses.
Wives of the eldest sons of viscounts.
Daughters of viscounts.
Wives of the younger sons of earls.
Wives of the eldest sons of barons.
Maids of honor.
Wives of the younger sons of viscounts.
Wives of the younger sons of barons.
Wives of baronets.
Wives of Knights of the Garter.
Wives of younger Knights Grand Crosses of the Bath.
Wives of Knights Commanders of the Bath.
Wives of Knights Bachelors.
Wives of the eldest sons of the younger sons of peers.
Wives of the eldest sons of baronets.
Daughters of baronets.
Wives of the eldest sons of Knights of the Garter.
Wives of the eldest sons of Knights of the Bath.
Daughters of Knights of the Bath.
Wives of the eldest sons of Knights Bachelors.
Wives of the younger sons of baronets.
Daughters of knights.
Wives of companions of the Order of the Bath.
Wives of the esquires of the king's body.
Wives of the esquires of the Knights of the Bath.
Wives of esquires by creation.
Wives of esquires by office.
Wives of the younger sons of Knights of the Garter.
Wives of the younger sons of Knights of the Bath.
Wives of the younger sons of Knights Bachelors.
Wives of gentlemen entitled to bear arms.
Daughters of esquires entitled to bear arms.
Daughters of gentlemen entitled to bear arms.
Wives of citizens.
Wives of burgesses.
—Philadelphia Ledger.

Is Burglary a Science?

The modern burglar is a scientist and inventor in his way. Recently a new era in safe breaking and other branches of the cracksman's art has opened, and the famous jimmy, so long rampant on the successful burglar's coat of arms, is to be superseded by more convenient labor saving tools.

In Marseilles the other day a gang of ingenious cracksmen entered a banker's office armed with a steel saw of the newest construction and a handy little gas engine. There was no need for the exercise of muscle, nor was there any necessity for a good strong wrist at the saw, as there was at one time in the annals of famous robberies.

The little engine was started, the saw put in the proper place and the connections made. Seating themselves serenely upon a couple of chairs near at hand, these modern burglars watched the true and rapid work of their appliances.

The big safe might have resisted for hours the force of human hands, but the saw, impelled by the engine, it could not stand against. The stout iron safe promptly yielded up its contents of over £600 worth of gold and bonds, and in a quarter of the time it would have taken to have committed the robbery under the old conditions the burglars were well out of the building with their booty.—Pearson's Weekly.

A Prescription.

The young woman who takes music lessons, and practices scales had announced to her friends that she was going away.

"Isn't it rather a sudden determination?"

"Yes. It's the doctor's orders."

"Why, you don't look the least bit ill."

"Oh, I'm perfectly well. Auntie is the one who is sick."—Washington Star.

Patents In England.

The British government makes no examination to determine the validity of a device for which a patent is asked, but takes it for granted that every invention is new and grants a patent to every applicant, leaving his claim, if contested, to be subsequently determined by the courts.

In 1820 the business portion of Savannah was blotted out by a great fire, which destroyed property of the value of $4,000,000.

The Gregorian calendar was adopted in Great Britain in September, 1715, the 3d of that month being called the 14th.

DINED WITH THE CZAR.

Honors Showered Upon Joseph Francis, Inventor of the Lifeboat.

In 1855 Mr. Francis went to Europe. He introduced his inventions at many courts. He remained abroad about 12 years and made many warm friends in many lands by his modest, unassuming frankness and his habitual courtesy. And he received great honors at the courts of kings.

I shall not soon forget the stories he told of the events witnessed in these European capitals, they were all so interesting, and he was so wholly frank and natural in their narration. He was long at the court of the czar, a sovereign who was deeply interested in the work of the inventor. When Mr. Francis went to Europe, he had letters of introduction from many prominent Americans. In St. Petersburg he called upon the American minister. Here, as he told me laughingly, he forgot all about his letters of introduction, one of which was from the president of the United States and another from the secretary of state, and merely told some of the officials connected with the American legation that he wished to meet the czar.

"What!" the official ejaculated in amazement. "Meet the czar? Impossible, man! Do you realize what you are asking—an introduction to the czar of Russia? Why, it would take you a month to get an introduction to the grand duke, to say nothing about getting into the presence of the czar."

Mr. Francis went away, and, with true American independence, called at the palace of the grand duke. He sent in his plain visiting or business card. He had not long to wait. The attendant ushered him into a magnificent salon in the ducal palace. "From the farther side of the splendid room," said the old gentleman to me as he related the story, his eyes glowing with the recollection of the triumph of the hour, "appeared the Grand Duke Constantine, one of America's truest friends, and, both of his hands outstretched, he took both of mine in his as he reached me."

The grand duke asked what he could do for Mr. Francis, the man of whom they had heard so much, whose life saving service was even then of such value to Russia's seacoast, and whose inventions promised so much for Russia—what could he do? Mr. Francis said that he would like to meet the czar.

Certainly. The grand duke would make an appointment with him to dine in a day or two with the czar at the palace.

And this was his introduction to Alexander II, a ruler who never forgot this gentle, modest American, and who through long years owned him as a cherished friend.

A day or two afterward Mr. Francis strolled into the office of the American legation. I doubt not there was a merry twinkle in his eye, for no man loved a quiet joke better than he did.

The official to whom Mr. Francis had expressed his desire to meet the czar spoke up jokingly:

"Well, how are you coming on in your efforts to meet the czar?"

"I have seen him."

"What," with doubt in face and voice, "you have seen the czar? How did you see him, pray tell?"

"I dined with him yesterday," was the simple answer.

And it was not the last time he was entertained at the imperial palace.—W. S. Harwood in St. Nicholas.

DUTIES OF CITIZENSHIP.

A Decency That Is Languid Is More to Be Feared Than Criminality.

"The thing we have the most to fear," writes Dr. Parkhurst in an article on "The Young Man as a Citizen," in the Ladies' Home Journal, "is not the depravity and the criminality that are rampant, but the decency that is languid and the respectability that is indifferent and that will go junketing when a state is on the edge of a crisis or go fishing on a day when the city is having its destiny determined for it at the polls. Would that there could be some legislative enactment by which every reputable traitor of the sort could be denaturalized and branded, with some stigma of civic outlawry that should extinguish him as an American and cancel his kinship with Columbus, Fourth of July and 'My Country, 'Tis of Thee.'

"I speak with full assurance when I say, for instance, in regard to the city of New York, that there is no single moral issue capable of being raised in regard to its administration where the great preponderance of sentiment would not be found to be on the side of honesty as against corruption, provided only that sentiment were sufficiently resolute and alert to come forward and declare itself. The purpose of a campaign under such circumstances is not to convince people of what is right, but to stimulate to the point of action those who are already convinced."

To Be Expected.

There was recently a public sale of the effects of a deceased artist who, though he never had any money and was always at the end of his resources, had managed to accumulate a considerable amount of bric-a-brac, chiefly for use in his trade.

All these things were sold for the benefit of his needy widow.

Among the items on the published catalogue was the following eloquent one:

"One money box, decorated, quite unused."—Youth's Companion.

The Reason.

At a recent wedding in an English town the officiating minister asked how the name of one of the witnesses was spelled, to which he received the reply, "McHugh." The minister then inquired how it was that the witness spelled his name in that way when his sister spelled hers "McCue," to which the witness responded, "Please, sir, my sister and me didn't go to the same school."

A Portrait's Eyes.

Wollaston's curious discovery was that by adding to each pair of eyes a nose directed to the right or the left the eyes lose their front direction and look to the right or left, according to the direction of the nose. By means of a flap representing the lower features in a different position, as Dr. Wollaston remarks, "a lost look of devout abstraction in an uplifted countenance may be exchanged for an appearance of inquisitive archness in the leer of a younger face turned downward and obliquely toward the opposite side."

As by changing the direction of the lower features we change the direction of the eyes, so by changing our position the eye of the portrait apparently follows us. If a vertical line be drawn through the tip of the nose and half way between the eyes, there will be the same breadth of head, of cheek, of chin and of neck on each side of this middle line, and each iris will be in the middle of the whole eye. If we now move to one side, the apparent horizontal breadth of every part of the head and face will be diminished, but the parts on each side of the middle line will be diminished equally, and at any position, however oblique, there will be the same breadth of face on each side of the middle line, and the iris will be in the center of the whole of the eyeball, so that, being on a flat surface, the iris will be seen in front of the picture or obliquely.—Notes and Queries.

Proverbs of Assam.

Here are some rather clever proverbs of Assam: "The best crops grow on others' fields, but the best sons are at home." "A bird is a little thing, but it builds its nest on a lofty hulung tree." "Buy land which slopes to the middle, and marry a girl who has a good mother." "The biggest jack fruit always hides under the leaves." "If a man slips down, it is always his eldest wife's fault, but if his youngest wife makes a mistake he says he will see about it." "A hasty cook, a hasty broom, and the husband goes fasting; a slow cook, a slow broom, and the husband eats three meals a day."

A German patent covers Prussia and all the states of the German empire.

ORDINANCE NO.

Regulating the keeping of cows in the Town of Berkeley, and providing a penalty for the violation of, said ordinance.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF Trustees of the Town of Berkeley, as follows:

Section 1. No person, firm or corporation shall keep or permit to be kept upon any land owned, occupied or controlled by him or it, in the Town of Berkeley, any cows at a rate not exceeding two cows for each acre of land in such.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its final passage. Ordinance No. 14 A and all ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 3. Any violation of this ordinance is hereby declared a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not exceeding the sum of $50.

The judgment imposing the fine may provide for its collection by imprisonment in the County Jail of Alameda County, in the manner at the rate and for the time provided by law.

Section 4. This ordinance is hereby ordered to be printed and published, with ayes and noes, for (2) days in the "Berkeley Gazette" which paper is hereby designated for that purpose.

Adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Berkeley held on the 28th day of September 1896, and ordered printed and published as above by the following vote:

Ayes, Trustees Gage, Jones, Cripps, Martin, Durrell, Hoff and President, Richards.
Noes, None.
Absent, None.
Attest: M. L. HANSCOM,
Town Clerk.
Oct 3 1t

Grove street, sewer.

Notice Inviting Street Work Proposals

PURSUANT TO STATUTE AND TO RESOlution, ordering the work number 134-A, adopted September 28, 1896, by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Berkeley, directing this notice, the undersigned invites and will receive at his office in the Town Hall up to 7:45 o'clock, P. M. of the 12th day of Oct., A. D. 1896, sealed proposals or bids for the following street work, to be done according to the specifications posted, and on file therefor, to-wit:

That Grove street along a line thirty feet west of the east line of said street in said Town from the crossing of the north line main sewer, northerly to the center line of Rose street, and the center line of Rose street from a point thirty (30) feet west of the east line of Grove street, easterly to the center line of Milvia street and the center line of Milvia street, from the center line of Rose street five hundred and sixty (560) feet northerly, and the center line of Vine street, from the sewer to be constructed in Grove street, easterly two hundred (200) feet to sewerad to the official lines and grades with vitrified ironstone pipe sewers. The diameter of the sewer in Grove street shall be 8 inches, in Vine street 6 inches, in Rose street 6 inches, and in Milvia street 6 inches; and that manholes be constructed as follows: One in Grove street at the north line main sewer, one at the intersection of Grove street and Vine street; one at the intersection of Grove street and Rose street, one at the intersection of Rose street and Louisa street and one at the intersection of Rose street and Milvia street; and that lampholes be constructed as follows: One on Milvia street 560 feet north of Rose street and one on Vine street 200 feet east of the sewer to be constructed in Grove street, and that 4-inch Y branches be laid where the depth of the sewer is less than 8 feet, one for each lot subdivision along the line of said work, and where such subdivisions are greater than 50 feet one for each 50 feet of frontage. Where the depth of the sewer is greater than 8 feet, 4-inch T branch connections shall be laid and continued vertically to within four feet of the surface, one for each 50 feet in length.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid a check payable to the order of the President of the Board of Trustees of this town, certified by a responsible bank, for an amount which shall not be less than 10 per cent of the aggregate of the proposal, or by a bond for the said amount and so payable signed by the bidder and by two sureties, who shall justify before any officer competent to administer an oath in double the said amount and over and above all statutory exemptions.

Clerk's Office, Town of Berkeley, October 3, 1896.

M. L. HANSCOM,
Town Clerk and Clerk to said Board of Trustees. Oct 3 4t

Ellis Street Sewer.

Notice of Street Work

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON the 28th day of Sept., A. D., 1896, the Board of Trustees of the Town of Berkeley passed its Resolution of Intention, number 141-A, to order the following street work to be done, viz:

That Ellis street in said Town, from the center line of Mason street to a point 570 feet northerly, be sewered with a 6 inch vitrified ironstone pipe sewer to the official line and grade, with four inch Y branches, one for each 37½ feet of frontage along the line of said work, and with a lamphole at the northerly terminus of said work.

For further particulars reference is hereby made to said Resolution on file in the office of the Town Clerk.

GUY H. CHICK,
Superintendent of Streets of the Town of Berkeley.
Berkeley, Cal., Oct 7, 1896. Oct. 7 6t

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"As dead as a doornail" at first seems utterly senseless, but becomes lively and picturesque when we remember that knockers were once universally used. Beneath the knocker, in order to prevent disfiguring the door, a large nail or bolt was driven. An impatient caller, waiting for the door to be opened, would frequently use the knocker with great force, and the irresponsiveness of the nail gave rise to this expression.

Counsel—Did you [illegible] particular about the prisoner?

Witness—Yes, his whiskers.

Counsel—What did you observe with reference to his whiskers?

Witness—That he had none.—London Fun.

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Head Manager J. J. Boak of Oakland Camp No. 94, Woodmen of the World, and Past Councilor Robinson of Spruce Camp, Alameda, visited Peralta Camp No. 123, last night and both gave addresses concerning the Head Camp.

A heavy fog prevailed last evening and darkness come early. As the arc lights were not put on people began to enquire the reason. It appears there was an open circuit which could not be found until about 8:30 o'clock when the lights were turned on much to everybody's gratification. The trouble was at Lorin.

Professor Bernard Moses has gone to Dixon.

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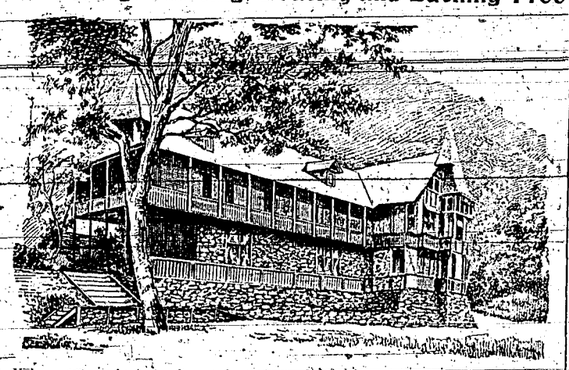

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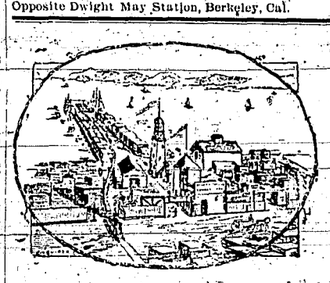

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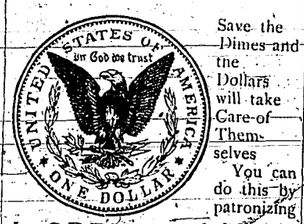

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